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Multiple sclerosis (MS) is a chronic disease of the central nervous system that can lead to disability and death. The disease is characterized by inflammation and damage to the myelin sheath that surrounds the nerve fibers. The exact cause of MS is unknown, but it is thought to be an autoimmune disease. There is no cure for MS, but there are treatments that can help manage the symptoms and slow the progression of the disease. The following are some of the most common symptoms of MS:

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